

## **CLAIMS**

While the embodiments of the invention have been disclosed, certain modifications may be made by those skilled in the art to modify the invention without departing from the spirit of the invention.

The inventor claims:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A device, which allows an individual to carry two identically shaped cans in one device and is comprised of the following:
  - a. a base section;

wherein the base section is planar;

wherein the base section is a predetermined thickness;

wherein the base section has a flat bottom surface;

wherein the base section has a flat top surface with two slightly recessed indented circles;

wherein the base section has a tapped and threaded hole in the top surface;

wherein the indented circles are the same
distance from the center of tapped and threaded hole;

said recessed indented circles are slightly larger than the diameter of the can being carried;

b. a spindle;

wherein the spindle has a first end and a second end;
wherein the first end and the second end of the
spindle is threaded;

wherein the first end of the spindle is secured to the base in the tapped and threaded hole on the top surface;

wherein a means of connection to secure the spindle at the second end is provided;

c. a clamp;

wherein the claim has a top surface and a bottom
surface;

wherein a hole in the middle of the clamp is provided;
said hole in the middle of the clamp is larger than
the diameter of the spindle;

wherein recessed grooves are provided on the ends of the clamp;

wherein the recessed grooves are also curved;

wherein the recessed, curved grooves are provided on the bottom side of the clamp;

said recessed, curved grooves fit over the top lip of the can that is carried;

d. a compression spring; and

wherein a spring is placed on the top surface of the clamp and the underside of the handle;

wherein the spindle is inserted through the spring;

e. a handle- ;

wherein a handle is provided to carry the device;

wherein a hole in the middle of the handle is
provided;

wherein the spindle passes through the hole in the handle;

wherein the means to secure the handle on the spindle is provided.

- 2. (currently amended) The base-section of this device as described in claim 1, comprises a bottom surface, which is flat and a top surface which contain device as described in claim 1 wherein the two recessed concentric circles are placed on both sides at equal distances from the mid-point of the base section.
- 3. (currently amended) The concentric circles, as described in claim 2, are slightly larger in diameter than the diameter of a pint size and quart size can respectively and are recessed device as described in claim 1 wherein one of the indented circles is slightly larger than the diameter of a pint size can.
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- 11. The <u>clamp</u> <u>device</u> as described in claim 1, wherein two pieces of metal, which are threaded into the side of the clamp and secured with a lock nut are installed to allow the user to lift the clamp to remove the cans.
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- 15. The compression spring device as described in claim 1 wherein the compression spring is placed between the underside of the T-handle and the top surface of the clamp. and exerts downward pressure on the top of the cans so that the device, once in use, will secure the cans in their appropriate positions on the device.
- 16. (Currently Amended) The device The handle as described in claim 1 wherein the handle is approximately five inches in length and one inch width at the middle and is flared at both ends of the device so that a hand can

easily pick up the device.

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- 21. (New) The device as described in claim 1 wherein the handle is in the shape of a T.
- 22. (New) The device as described in claim 1 wherein the means to secure the handle is a hex nut.
- 23. (New) The device as described in claim 1 wherein one of the indented circles is slightly larger than the diameter of a quart size can.